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SUBJECT: EXIMBANK FINANCING FOR MAZANDARAN

PLEASE PASS R. BREWIN BEHALF THOMAS MORAN

WE HAVE BEEN APPROACHED BY TEXTILE MACHINERY GROUP OF
ROCKWELL INTERNATIONAL, HOPEDALE, MASS. REGARDING POTENTIAL
SALE OF 969 LOOMS TO IRANIAN COMPANY S.S.N. MAZANDARAN,
TEHRAN. VALUE OF LOOMS ESTIMATED AT DOLS 8.3 MILLION. ROCKWELL
HAS BEEN NEGOTIATING WITH MAZANDARAN FOR NEARLY 2 YEARS NOW
AND LEARNED ONLY RECENTLY THAT SALE OF LOOMS HINGES ON
AVAILABILITY OF FINANCING. ROCKWELL SEES THIS SALE AS KEY
TO SOLE OF SIMILAR EQUIPMENT TO PROJECTS IN EGYPT AND SUDAN
WHICH THEY UNDERSTAND WILL RECEIVE FINANCIAL SUPPORT FROM
GOI'S INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AND RECONSTRUCTION ORGANIZATION.

ROCKWELL UNDERSTANDS MAZANDARAN OWNED 80 PERCENT BY INDUSTRIAL
CREDIT BANK. CAN YOU CONFIRM THIS?

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REPRESENTATIVE OF ROCKWELL LEAVING FOR TEHRAN SATURDAY,
JUNE 21 AND WILL CONTACT YOU SEEKING EMBASSY ASSISTANCE IN
ARRANGING MEETINGS WITH BANK AND MAZANDARAN.
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